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SUBJ: COORDINATOR OF CCINC TRAINING PROGRAMS

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1. THERE HAVE BEEN NO SIGNIFICANT DIFFICULTIES IN COORDINATION OF DEA AND CUSTOMS ACTIVITIES RELATED TO NARCOTICS CONTROL IN INDONESIA. THERE ARE NO ESTABLISHED OR REGULAR LIAISON ARRANGEMENTS ON NARCOTICS BETWEEN US AND INDONESIAN CUSTOMS; HENCE, THERE IS REALLY NO OCCASION FOR INTER-AGENCY CONFLICT IN THIS AREA. AS FOR TRAINING, BOTH AGENCIES HAVE CONDUCTED IN-COUNTRY BASIC NARCOTICS CONTROL COURSES HERE--DEA IN 1973 AND CUSTOMS IN 1975. AS FAR AS WE ARE AWARE NO COORDINATION PROBLEMS AROSE IN CONNECTION WITH 1973 COURSE. IN 1975 DEA REGIONAL OFFICE IN MANILA TOOK INITIATIVE TO MAKE SURE IT FULLY INFORMED ABOUT ARRANGEMENTS FOR CUSTOMS COURSE. CUSTOMS REPS RESPONDED IN COOPERATIVE MANNER, INCLUDING INVITING NEWLY ARRIVED DEA SAIC TO ATTEND CUSTOMS COURSE.

2. CUSTOMS, WITH MBASSY APPROVAL, TOOK INITIATIVE IN 1975 TO INVITE GOI DIRECTOR GENERAL OF CUSTOMS ON VIP TOUR OF US UNDER CCINC PROGRAM. PROGRAM INCLUDED MEETINGS WITH DEA OFFICIALS IN WASHINGTON, AND THESE PROVIDED USEFUL BASIS FOR FOLLOW-UP BY DEA SAIC IN ESTABLISHING CONTACTS IN INDONESIAN  
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CUSTOMS.

3. GOI NARCOTICS OFFICIALS HAVE DIFFICULTY UNDERSTANDING  
RELATIVE ROLES OF DEA AND CUSTOMS IN US NARCOTICS CONTROL  
EFFORTS BUT THIS CONFUSION HAS HAD LITTLE REAL IMPACT ON US  
NARCOTICS CONTROL PROGRAMS HERE, SINCE DEA ACTIVITIES SO FAR  
EXCEED THOSE OF CUSTOMS WHERE INDONESIA IS CONCERNED. ONLY  
SIGNIFICANT PROBLEM WE CAN THINK OF IS THAT INVITATION TO  
DIRECTOR GENERAL OF CUSTOMS TO TOUR US UNDER NARCOTICS PROGRAM  
GENERATED PRESSURES FOR SIMILAR INVITATIONS IS TO OFFICIALS OF  
POLICE NARCOTICS DIRECTORATE AND NA  
COTICS COORDINATING BOARD  
(BAKOLAK), BOTH OF WHICH HAVE FAR MORE SIGNIFICANT ROLE IN  
NARCOTICS CONTROL THAN INDONESIAN CUSTOMS.

4. WE HAVE HAD NO PROBLEMS WITH FAILURE OF CUSTOMS TO  
FOLLOW-UP ON COMMITMENTS MADE OR IMPLIED TO INDONESIAN  
OFFICIALS.  
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